

Council Bluffs lodge No. 849, of the Bankers Union of the World. She was greeted

by ten enthusiastic women, the result being that Council Bluffs lodge will have in the

### Outing of Fraternal Union.

by Lodge No. 127, Fraternal Union of America, held its third annual outing with

a moonlight picnic in a grove south of Blair Thursday evening. A threshing machine engine, to which was attached a number of hacks and other vehicles, furnished the locomotive power. Sixty members of the lodge enjoyed a delightful moonlight ride, returning about 1 o'clock.

**Pusion Nominates in Jefferson.**  
FAIRBURY, Neb., Aug. 31.—(Special Telegram.)—The Democrats and populists in joint convention this afternoon made these nominations: For county treasurer, Albert Cramb; for county clerk, J. L. Kennedy; for sheriff, G. H. Tonnemaker; for superintendent, F. A. Carmony; for county judge, M. Warren; for surveyor, W. W. Watson.

**Will Be Charged with Murder.**  
RAWLINS, Wyo., Aug. 31.—(Special).—The coroner's jury in the case of Cecil Smith, who shot and killed Crystal Appleton several days ago, returned a verdict that the killing was felonious and the

**Fuston at Sidney.**  
SIDNEY, Neb., Aug. 31.—(Special Telegram.)—The democratic and populist conventions here today elected delegates to the

state convention at Lincoln. Their county conventions were set for September 23. They agreed unanimously to fuse on all county officers.

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**Grand Jury at Beatrice.**

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 31.—(Special).—The grand jury of Gage county has been

drawn and will meet September 16 with the opening of the district court. This will be the first grand jury in Gage county for eight years, and much anxiety prevails as to the reason for its being called.

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